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Christmas Trivia

Circle the correct answer.

1. How many reindeer pull Santa's sleigh in the famous poem, not counting Rudolph?

- ☐ (A) 6
- ☐ (C) 9

- ☐ (B) 12
- ☐ (D) 8

2. What is Ebenezer Scrooge's famous phrase?

- ☐ (A) Jingle all the way!
- ☐ (C) Bah, humbug!

- ☐ (B) Ho ho ho!
- ☐ (D) Merry Christmas!

3. Which Christmas cake from Italy is tall and dome-shaped?

- ☐ (A) Pavlova
- ☐ (C) Tiramisu

- ☐ (B) Stollen
- ☐ (D) Panettone

4. What colour is Santa Claus's suit usually?

- ☐ (A) Blue and white
- ☐ (C) Purple and silver

- ☐ (B) Green and gold
- ☐ (D) Red and white

5. What do children leave out for Santa in many homes?

- ☐ (A) Soup
- ☐ (C) Pizza

- ☐ (B) Popcorn
- ☐ (D) Milk and cookies

6. Who wrote "A Christmas Carol"?

- ☐ (A) Roald Dahl
- ☐ (C) Mark Twain

- ☐ (B) William Shakespeare
- ☐ (D) Charles Dickens

7. Where does Santa Claus live, according to the stories?

- ☐ (A) Lapland only
- ☐ (C) Iceland

- ☐ (B) The North Pole
- ☐ (D) The South Pole

8. Which country is best known for popularising the decorated Christmas tree?

- ☐ (A) Japan
- ☐ (C) Egypt

- ☐ (B) Germany
- ☐ (D) Brazil

9. Which snowman comes to life in a famous song?

- ☐ (A) Olaf
- ☐ (C) Sparky

- ☐ (B) Chilly
- ☐ (D) Frosty

10. What is the name of the season of waiting before Christmas?

- ☐ (A) Easter
- ☐ (C) Pentecost

- ☐ (B) Advent
- ☐ (D) Lent

11. What do people put on top of a Christmas tree?

- ☐ (A) A kite
- ☐ (C) A star or an angel

- ☐ (B) A flag
- ☐ (D) A pumpkin

12. Which elf-like creature steals Christmas in a Dr. Seuss story?

- ☐ (A) The Grinch
- ☐ (C) Krampus

- ☐ (B) Scrooge
- ☐ (D) Jack Frost

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13. In the song, what did "my true love" send on the first day of Christmas?

- ☐ (A) Five gold rings
- ☐ (B) Three French hens
- ☐ (C) A partridge in a pear tree
- ☐ (D) Two turtle doves

14. What is the name of Santa's wife in many stories?

- ☐ (A) Mrs. Frost
- ☐ (B) Mrs. Claus
- ☐ (C) Mrs. Holly
- ☐ (D) Mrs. Snow

15. What are the gifts of the Magi?

- ☐ (A) Gold, silver and pearls
- ☐ (B) Bread, fish and wine
- ☐ (C) Gold, frankincense and myrrh
- ☐ (D) Toys, sweets and books

16. What do people often hang above a doorway to kiss under?

- ☐ (A) Mistletoe
- ☐ (B) Ivy
- ☐ (C) Holly
- ☐ (D) Pine cones

17. What is the day after Christmas called in the UK and Canada?

- ☐ (A) Snow Day
- ☐ (B) Gift Day
- ☐ (C) Stephen's Eve
- ☐ (D) Boxing Day

18. In which town was Jesus born, according to the Bible?

- ☐ (A) Jericho
- ☐ (B) Jerusalem
- ☐ (C) Nazareth
- ☐ (D) Bethlehem

19. In the story, which three visitors brought gifts to baby Jesus?

- ☐ (A) Three angels
- ☐ (B) Three shepherds
- ☐ (C) Three kings of England
- ☐ (D) The Wise Men (Magi)

20. On which date is Christmas Day celebrated in most countries?

- ☐ (A) 6 January
- ☐ (B) 24 December
- ☐ (C) 1 January
- ☐ (D) 25 December

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3. D Panettone
4. D Red and white
5. D Milk and cookies
6. D Charles Dickens
7. B The North Pole
8. B Germany
9. D Frosty
10. B Advent
11. C A star or an angel
12. A The Grinch
13. C A partridge in a pear tree
14. B Mrs. Claus
15. C Gold, frankincense and myrrh
16. A Mistletoe
17. D Boxing Day
18. D Bethlehem
19. D The Wise Men (Magi)
20. D 25 December